

## DEATH OF REPRESENTATIVE CHARLES QUINCY TIRRELL.

Mr. LODGE. Mr. President, I ask that the resolutions of the House of Representatives announcing the death of the late Representative TIRRELL be laid before the Senate.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The Chair lays before the Senate resolutions of the House of Representatives, which will be read. The Secretary read the resolutions, as follows:

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
December 5, 1910.

*Resolved*, That the House has heard with profound sorrow of the death of Hon. CHARLES QUINCY TIRRELL, late a Representative from the State of Massachusetts.

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House be directed to transmit a copy of these resolutions to the Senate.

Mr. LODGE. I offer the following resolutions and ask for their adoption.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The resolutions will be read.

The resolutions (S. Res. 295) were read and unanimously agreed to, as follows:

*Resolved*, That the Senate has heard with deep sensibility the announcement of the death of Hon. CHARLES QUINCY TIRRELL, late a Representative from the State of Massachusetts.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary communicate a copy of these resolutions to the House of Representatives.

Mr. HALE. My motion to adjourn is, of course, pending. I withdraw the motion in order that the Senator from Massachusetts may offer a resolution of adjournment.

Mr. LODGE. I submit the following resolution and ask for its adoption.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The resolution will be read.

The Secretary read the resolution, as follows:

*Resolved*, That as a further mark of respect to the memory of those Representatives whose deaths have been announced the Senate do now adjourn.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The question is on agreeing to the resolution submitted by the Senator from Massachusetts.

The resolution was unanimously agreed to; and (at 2 o'clock and 15 minutes p. m.) the Senate adjourned until to-morrow, Wednesday, December 7, 1910, at 12 o'clock meridian.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

TUESDAY, December 6, 1910.

The House met at 12 o'clock noon.

The Chaplain, Rev. Henry N. Couden, D. D., offered the following prayer:

Almighty Father, ever ready and willing to hear the prayers of Thy children, we draw near to Thee, seeking Thy blessing that we may know Thy will and have the disposition and the strength to do it that we may fulfill the obligations of the hour.

Be very near, we beseech Thee, to all who are in sorrow and distress everywhere. Especially be very near to the families of those who were bereft of their dear ones during the recess and whom we knew as Members of this House to love and respect. Help them and us to look forward with bright anticipations to that other life where we shall dwell together in peace and happiness forever, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was read and approved.

## RESIGNATION OF REPRESENTATIVE FOSS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication, which was read by the Clerk:

DECEMBER 5, 1910.

SIR: I beg leave to inform you that I have this day transmitted to the governor of Massachusetts my resignation as the Representative in the Congress of the United States from the fourteenth district of Massachusetts, to take effect January 4, 1911.

Very truly, yours,

EUGENE N. FOSS.

Hon. JOSEPH G. CANNON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Washington, D. C.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the communication will lie on the table.

There was no objection.

## MEXICAN INDEPENDENCE CEREMONIES.

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication:

CASTLE REST, ALEXANDRIA BAY,  
New York, July 25.

Hon. JOSEPH G. CANNON.

DEAR SIR: I find I am unable to accept your appointment of me as one of the three Members of the House to attend the celebration of the Mexican independence ceremonies, and I hereby tender my declination with profound thanks for the honor you so kindly sought to confer upon me. With highest regards, I am,

Yours, very truly,

J. SLOAT FASSETT,  
Thirty-third New York.

The SPEAKER. Having received this communication during the vacation, which left a vacancy upon what is called the Mexican Commission, the Chair made the following appointment, the commission being authorized by statute. The Clerk will read.

The Clerk read as follows:

MACKINAC ISLAND, MICH.,  
August 6, 1910.

To the CLERK OF THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

I hereby appoint Hon. GEORGE W. FAIRCHILD, of Oneonta, N. Y., to act as member of the Mexican Commission, authorized by act of last session of Congress, vice Hon. J. SLOAT FASSETT, who declines service on said commission.

J. G. CANNON,

Speaker House of Representatives, United States.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the communications will be entered upon the Journal and will lie upon the table. [After a pause.] The Chair hears no objection.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO NOTIFY THE PRESIDENT.

Mr. TAWNEY. Mr. Speaker, your committee, appointed to act in conjunction with a like committee in behalf of the Senate, to wait upon the President and inform him that the Congress of the United States had assembled and that a quorum of the two Houses was present and ready to receive any message he might wish to communicate, has performed that duty, and the President requests the committee to inform the House that he will communicate with the House and Senate by a message in writing.

## CONTEST OF ELECTION, FIRST DISTRICT, TENNESSEE.

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication, which was read:

BRISTOL, TENN., November 28, 1910.

THE CLERK OF UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR: I hereby very respectfully beg to inform you of my intention to contest the congressional election held on November 8 for the purpose of electing a Representative in Congress from the first Tennessee congressional district, and in which it is claimed that Dr. Z. D. Massey and the Hon. Sam R. Sells were elected, the former for the "short" or "unexpired" term of the late Congressman W. P. BROWNLOW and the latter for the regular term.

On the 19th instant I sent written notice of my intention to contest said election to both the above men, in which I set forth the reasons for entering contest.

Begging to request you to take whatever action is necessary in the matter to prevent Dr. Massey from taking a seat in Congress when that body convenes next Monday, I beg to remain,

Very respectfully,

JAMES EDGAR SMITH.

The SPEAKER. The communication will be referred to the Committee on Elections No. 2.

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

A message, in writing, from the President of the United States was communicated to the House of Representatives by Mr. Latta, one of his secretaries.

## DISTRICT BUSINESS.

Mr. SMITH of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that Thursday next be set aside for the consideration of District business.

The SPEAKER. The gentleman from Michigan, chairman of the Committee on the District of Columbia, asks unanimous consent that Thursday next be set aside as District day. Is there objection?

Mr. MANN. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I would ask the gentleman from Michigan what his purpose is on Thursday.

Mr. SMITH of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, I simply desire to take up the calendar. There are 38 bills on the calendar and we desire to take up these bills and dispose of them as rapidly as possible.

Mr. MANN. Mr. Speaker, it seems to me that it might be better to see what we could do on Monday with the bills that we have on the calendar.

Mr. SMITH of Michigan. Well, Monday next is the regular District day.

Mr. MANN. If we proceed to waste time then as we have in the past on District day there is no use in taking two days for it.

Mr. TAWNEY. Mr. Speaker, I understand that one of the appropriation bills will be reported to the House to-morrow and that the desire is that it be taken up on Thursday next. In view of the fact that the time for the consideration of appropriation bills at this session will be very limited, I think that the House should proceed to the consideration of this appropriation bill, which will be the Indian bill, to be reported, as I say, to-morrow and taken up for consideration on Thursday. Is not that right, I will ask the gentleman from South Dakota?

Mr. BURKE of South Dakota. I can not say now.  
Mr. TAWNEY. Well, for the time being I shall object.  
The SPEAKER. Objection is heard.

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—  
To Mr. ELVINS, indefinitely, on account of sickness.  
To Mr. MCKINNEY, indefinitely, on account of sickness in family.

## MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

A message from the Senate, by Mr. Crockett, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the Senate has heard with deep sensibility the announcement of the death of Hon. WALTER PRESTON BROWNLOW, late a Representative from the State of Tennessee.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary communicate a copy of these resolutions to the House of Representatives.

Also:

*Resolved*, That the Senate has heard with deep sensibility the announcement of the death of Hon. WILLIAM WALKER FOULKROD, late a Representative from the State of Pennsylvania.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary communicate a copy of these resolutions to the House of Representatives.

Also:

*Resolved*, That the Senate has heard with deep sensibility the announcement of the death of Hon. SAMUEL LOUIS GILMORE, late a Representative from the State of Louisiana.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary communicate a copy of these resolutions to the House of Representatives.

Also:

*Resolved*, That the Senate has heard with deep sensibility the announcement of the death of Hon. CHARLES QUINCY TIRRELL, late a Representative from the State of Massachusetts.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary communicate a copy of these resolutions to the House of Representatives.

*Resolved*, That as a further mark of respect to the memory of those Representatives whose deaths have been announced the Senate do now adjourn.

## ANNUAL MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT.

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following message from the President of the United States, which was read.

[For message, see proceedings of Senate.]

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the message and the accompanying documents be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, and ordered printed.

Mr. MANN. Is it not customary to have extra copies printed?

Mr. PAYNE. No; the usual printing order is the usual order.  
Mr. MANN. Is it not customary for us to order some extra copies printed?

Mr. PAYNE. It is not customary. It is sometimes done with extraordinary communications. It is customary to have the usual number printed and afterwards—

Mr. MANN. That means only a very small number. I was under the impression that we usually ordered ten or twenty thousand copies printed, to be distributed through the folding room.

Mr. STAFFORD. Is it not a fact that it is customary for a certain number of these messages to be placed to the credit of Members in the folding room?

Mr. PAYNE. That can be done by an order to print if an unusual number is desired, but the customary resolution has been to print the message and the documents.

Mr. MANN. That is the motion just made, but I think the gentleman from New York has usually asked an order to print a larger number and for Members to get them through the folding room.

Mr. PAYNE. That has been very rarely done on the original order, but it is sometimes done afterwards and goes to the Committee on Printing for ascertainment of the number probably necessary; but the first order is usually an order for printing. I make that motion, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman state his motion again?

Mr. PAYNE. That the message and accompanying documents be referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered printed.

The question was taken, and the motion was agreed to.

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Mr. MUDD, by unanimous consent, was granted leave of absence indefinitely on account of illness.

## ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; and accordingly (at 3 o'clock and 9 minutes p. m.) the House adjourned to meet to-morrow, Wednesday, December 7, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon.

## EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS.

Under clause 2 of Rule XXIV, Executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

1. A letter from the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, transmitting the annual report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1910 (H. Doc. No. 1009); to the Committee on the District of Columbia and ordered to be printed.

2. A letter from the Postmaster General, transmitting report of the public property in the Post Office Department (H. Doc. No. 1079); to the Committee on Expenditures in the Post Office Department and ordered to be printed.

3. A letter from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting a report of lands withdrawn from settlement under provisions of the act of June 25, 1910 (H. Doc. No. 1080); to the Committee on the Public Lands and ordered to be printed.

4. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting the report of the Board of Ordnance and Fortification for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1910 (H. Doc. No. 1002); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

5. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting a report of receipts and expenditures on account of contingencies of the Army, 1909 and 1910 (H. Doc. No. 1082); to the Committee on Expenditures in the War Department and ordered to be printed.

6. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination of Clearwater River, Idaho (H. Doc. No. 1083); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

7. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination and survey of Monterey Bay, Cal. (H. Doc. No. 1084); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

8. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination of Otter Creek, Vt. (H. Doc. No. 1085); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

9. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination of Portsmouth Harbor, N. H. (H. Doc. No. 1086); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

10. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination and survey of Mamaroneck Harbor, N. Y. (H. Doc. No. 1087); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed, with illustrations.

11. A letter from the Postmaster General, transmitting a report as to travel allowance for railway postal clerks (H. Doc. No. 1088); to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads and ordered to be printed.

12. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting a report of tests of iron and steel and other materials for industrial purposes at Watertown Arsenal (H. Doc. No. 1089); to the Committee on Manufactures and ordered to be printed.

13. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination and survey of Exeter River, N. H. (H. Doc. No. 1090); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

14. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting report of receipts and expenditures, contingent expenses of the War Department (H. Doc. No. 1091); to the Committee on Expenditures in the War Department and ordered to be printed.

15. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination of Trent River, N. C. (H. Doc. No. 1092); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

16. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination and survey of Neuse River, N. C. (H. Doc. No. 1093); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

17. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting, with a letter from the Chief of Engineers, report of examination and survey of Aransas Pass and tributary waters, Texas (H. Doc. No. 1094); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.

18. A letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting a statement as to travel of officers and employees of the department during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1910 (H. Doc. No. 1095); to the Committee on Expenditures in the Treasury Department and ordered to be printed.

19. A letter from the Secretary of War, transmitting abstracts of proposals for labor and materials in connection with work under the Engineer Department (H. Doc. No. 1096); to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors and ordered to be printed.



# REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Under clause 2 of Rule XIII,

Mr. HULL of Iowa, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred the bill of the Senate (S. 1941) to increase the efficiency of the Pay Department, United States Army, reported the same without amendment, accompanied by a report (No. 1739), which said bill and report were referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

## PUBLIC BILLS, RESOLUTIONS, AND MEMORIALS.

Under clause 3 of Rule XXII, bills, resolutions, and memorials were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BARTLETT of Georgia: A bill (H. R. 27828) to relieve claimants under the act of March 3, 1867, known as the "Captured and abandoned property act," of the necessity of proving their loyalty to the United States Government as a condition to recovery; to the Committee on War Claims.

By Mr. BOOHER: A bill (H. R. 27829) to improve the Missouri River near St. Joseph, Mo.; to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors.

By Mr. WICKERSHAM: A bill (H. R. 27830) to amend an act entitled "An act to amend and codify the laws relating to municipal corporations in the District of Alaska," approved April 28, 1904; to the Committee on the Territories.

By Mr. BOEHNE: A bill (H. R. 27831) to provide for enlarging and improving the United States building at Evansville, Ind.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. RUCKER of Colorado: A bill (H. R. 27832) pensioning the surviving officers and enlisted men (or their widows) who served in the Indian wars of the western frontiers of the several States and Territories from the year 1865 to the year 1883; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. DOUGLAS: A bill (H. R. 27833) for public investigation of railroad accidents on interstate roads; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. SMITH of Michigan: A bill (H. R. 27834) to receive arrearages of taxes due to the District of Columbia to July 1, 1908, at 6 per cent interest per annum in lieu of penalties and costs; to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By Mr. ROBERTS: A bill (H. R. 27835) for the erection of a post-office building in the town of Wakefield, Mass.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. FOSS of Massachusetts: A bill (H. R. 27836) to provide additional protection for owners of patents of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Patents.

By Mr. LANGLEY: A bill (H. R. 27837) to amend the provisions of the act of March 3, 1885, limiting the compensation of storekeepers, gaugers, and storekeeper-gaugers in certain cases to \$2 a day, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Expenditures in the Treasury Department.

By Mr. HAMILL: A bill (H. R. 27838) to construct a national auto highway along or near to the thirty-fifth parallel of north latitude from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27839) for the establishment of an experimental auto-post-coach rural service; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

By Mr. TAYLOR of Colorado: A bill (H. R. 27840) to amend an act to establish a bureau of immigration and naturalization and to provide for a uniform rule for the naturalization of aliens throughout the United States; to the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization.

By Mr. WICKLIFFE: A bill (H. R. 27841) authorizing the survey of the Tangipahoa River in Louisiana; to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27842) authorizing the survey of the Ponchatoula River in Louisiana; to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27843) authorizing a survey of Bayou Chastaing in Louisiana; to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors.

By Mr. FOSS of Illinois: A bill (H. R. 27844) to regulate and increase the efficiency of the personnel of the United States Navy and Marine Corps; to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. PEARRE: A bill (H. R. 27845) for the enlargement of the public building in Hagerstown, Md.; to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

By Mr. DODDS: A bill (H. R. 27846) for the construction of a dormitory for small boys, and for the construction of a gymnasium, and for the purchase of a new dairy herd at and for the Mount Pleasant Indian School, at Mount Pleasant, Mich.; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. SMALL: A bill (H. R. 27847) to authorize the construction of a lighthouse upon Diamond Shoal and to provide for the purchase thereof by the United States; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. GRAHAM of Pennsylvania: Resolution (H. Res. 860) providing for compensation to Edward S. Glavis for services to the Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Accounts.

By Mr. DALZELL: Resolution (H. Res. 864) providing for payment to Charles V. La Farge for services rendered to the Committee on Mines and Mining from the end of the second session to the commencement of the third session of the Sixty-first Congress; to the Committee on Accounts.

By Mr. SULLOWAY: Resolution (H. Res. 865) making provision for an assistant clerk to the Committee on Invalid Pensions; to the Committee on Accounts.

By Mr. BARTHOLDT: Resolution (H. Res. 866) to pay Edward Reichard for services to the Committee on Mileage; to the Committee on Accounts.

By Mr. STERLING: Joint resolution (H. J. Res. 242) to amend the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. ADAMSON: A bill (H. R. 27848) authorizing the reappointment of Cadet J. H. Booker, jr., recently dismissed from the Military Academy for alleged hazing; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. ALEXANDER of Missouri: A bill (H. R. 27849) granting an increase of pension to Amanzel L. Spore; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27850) granting an increase of pension to William Mapel; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27851) granting an increase of pension to James K. Scott; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27852) granting a pension to Richard Franklin Hood; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. ALEXANDER of New York: A bill (H. R. 27853) granting an increase of pension to John W. Moodie; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27854) granting an increase of pension to John Fay; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27855) granting an increase of pension to Edward J. Green; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27856) granting an increase of pension to Albert F. R. Arndt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27857) granting a pension to Cora M. Jackstock and her infant child; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27858) to remove the charge of desertion from the military record of David Curry; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27859) to remove the charge of desertion from the military record of Balthazar Rummel; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27860) to remove the charge of desertion from the military record of John A. Agar; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. ANDERSON: A bill (H. R. 27861) granting an increase of pension to John P. Lonsway; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27862) granting an increase of pension to Erasmus D. Turner; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27863) granting an increase of pension to Helen Longley; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27864) granting an increase of pension to William Beistle; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27865) granting an increase of pension to Mark Hebblethwaite; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27866) granting a pension to Ellen Dennis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. ANTHONY: A bill (H. R. 27867) granting an increase of pension to Hiram F. Stover; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27868) granting an increase of pension to Charles H. Roe; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27869) granting an increase of pension to Henry Keeler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27870) granting an increase of pension to J. Howard Titworth; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27871) granting an increase of pension to John W. Larimer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27872) granting an increase of pension to William C. McClenny; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27873) granting an increase of pension to Joseph S. Ewing; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27874) granting an increase of pension to Samuel Maquilken; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27875) granting an increase of pension to George W. B. Douglass; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. ASHBROOK: A bill (H. R. 27876) granting an increase of pension to David W. Wood; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27877) granting an increase of pension to Lawson T. Worthington; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. BARNHART: A bill (H. R. 27878) granting an increase of pension to Elias Deveny; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27879) granting an increase of pension to William Wenger; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27880) granting an increase of pension to William A. White; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27881) granting an increase of pension to Josiah B. Barnum; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27882) granting an increase of pension to Catherine Clawson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27883) granting an increase of pension to Francis H. Turner; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27884) granting an increase of pension to Clarence P. Holloway; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27885) granting a pension to Rufus Blair; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. BATES: A bill (H. R. 27886) granting an increase of pension to John Houtz; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27887) granting an increase of pension to Horace Greeley; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27888) granting an increase of pension to George T. Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27889) granting an increase of pension to William J. Morris; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27890) granting an increase of pension to Roswell T. Williams; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27891) granting an increase of pension to Alexander Lindsay; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. BOEHNE: A bill (H. R. 27892) granting an increase of pension to Silas D. Kemp; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27893) granting an increase of pension to John W. Ellis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. BOOHER: A bill (H. R. 27894) granting an increase of pension to John Allen; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27895) granting an increase of pension to William M. Deaton; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27896) granting a pension to John Glaback; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. BRADLEY: A bill (H. R. 27897) granting an increase of pension to Ralph Woodrich; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27898) granting an increase of pension to Charles C. Fuller; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. BUTLER: A bill (H. R. 27899) granting an increase of pension to Theodore F. Turner; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. CALDERHEAD: A bill (H. R. 27900) granting an increase of pension to Amos Piatt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. CHAPMAN: A bill (H. R. 27901) granting an increase of pension to John W. Golden; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27902) granting an increase of pension to Andrew J. Burkhead; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. CLARK of Missouri: A bill (H. R. 27903) granting an increase of pension to Uriah H. Owings; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. COLE: A bill (H. R. 27904) granting an increase of pension to Williamson T. Tway; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27905) granting an increase of pension to Eli Sherrett; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27906) granting an increase of pension to John O. Walker; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27907) granting an increase of pension to Nicholas V. Speece; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. COOPER of Pennsylvania: A bill (H. R. 27908) granting an increase of pension to Edward Y. White; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27909) granting an increase of pension to Aaron Tucker; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27910) granting an increase of pension to Henry Huffine; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27911) granting an increase of pension to Ross R. Sanner; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. COWLES: A bill (H. R. 27912) granting an increase of pension to John S. Brooks; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27913) granting an increase of pension to Levi Collins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27914) granting an increase of pension to John A. Robinson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27915) granting an increase of pension to Shady Long; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27916) granting an increase of pension to John T. Irvin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27917) granting a pension to Daniel W. Setzer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27918) granting a pension to Julius Dagenhart; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27919) granting an increase of pension to Columbus Phillips; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27920) granting an increase of pension to Henderson Lewis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27921) granting a pension to Lewis Hartley; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27922) granting an increase of pension to Samuel Estep; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27923) granting a pension to James F. Carroll; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27924) granting a pension to Morgan S. Darnall; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27925) granting a pension to Joseph R. Call; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27926) granting a pension to William A. Anderson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27927) granting a pension to Joseph E. Harrison; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. COX of Ohio: A bill (H. R. 27928) granting an increase of pension to John F. Case; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27929) granting an increase of pension to James A. Calkins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. CREAGER: A bill (H. R. 27930) making appropriation to pay certain Indian claims investigated, found due, and reported to the Department of the Interior; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. CULLOP: A bill (H. R. 27931) granting an increase of pension to Andrew J. Conley; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27932) granting a pension to Nancy J. Donaldson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. CURRIER: A bill (H. R. 27933) granting an increase of pension to Charles Moultrou; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27934) granting an increase of pension to John L. Webster; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27935) granting an increase of pension to Hale Chadwick; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27936) granting an increase of pension to Frank Libby; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27937) granting an increase of pension to Israel Adams; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27938) granting an increase of pension to Joseph L. Mitchell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27939) granting an increase of pension to Charles H. Martin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27940) granting an increase of pension to Patrick L. Kennedy; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27941) granting an increase of pension to Alfred L. Sanborn; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27942) granting a pension to Ann Stevens; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. DALZELL: A bill (H. R. 27943) granting an increase of pension to William J. Carson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27944) granting an increase of pension to Simon P. P. Young; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27945) granting an increase of pension to Walter Lowry; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27946) granting an increase of pension to John Irwin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.



By Mr. DICKINSON: A bill (H. R. 27947) granting an increase of pension to James W. Orvis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. DIXON of Indiana: A bill (H. R. 27948) granting an increase of pension to Theodore H. Wells; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27949) granting an increase of pension to Samuel McClellan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27950) granting an increase of pension to John D. Kennedy; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27951) granting an increase of pension to Andrew J. Johnson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27952) granting an increase of pension to Joseph Faulkner; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27953) granting an increase of pension to Theodore Werner; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27954) granting an increase of pension to Charles W. Calloway; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27955) granting an increase of pension to Henry Rommie; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27956) granting an increase of pension to John Muster; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27957) granting an increase of pension to John D. Amick; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. DRAPER: A bill (H. R. 27958) granting an increase of pension to Joseph La Clair; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27959) granting an increase of pension to Smith Harlow; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27960) granting an increase of pension to Henry Paris; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. ESCH: A bill (H. R. 27961) granting an increase of pension to Jeremiah Van Kirk; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27962) granting a pension to Rachel Hawkins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. FAIRCHILD: A bill (H. R. 27963) granting an increase of pension to Edward G. Waring; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27964) granting an increase of pension to Edward L. Butts; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27965) granting an increase of pension to Abram Moore; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27966) granting an increase of pension to Alfred Poland; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27967) granting an increase of pension to Charles W. Atwell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27968) granting an increase of pension to George H. Beach; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27969) granting an increase of pension to James Hogg; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27970) granting an increase of pension to William H. Maxfield; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27971) granting an increase of pension to Charles N. Merrill; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27972) granting a pension to Elizabeth J. Marshall; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27973) granting a pension to Frances M. Heins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. FOCHT: A bill (H. R. 27974) granting an increase of pension to Cornelius B. Ingles; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27975) granting an increase of pension to Lewis A. Ranck; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27976) granting an increase of pension to Benjamin F. Byers; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. FOSTER of Illinois: A bill (H. R. 27977) granting an increase of pension to Alvin Lewis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27978) granting an increase of pension to John Goodbrake; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27979) granting an increase of pension to Andrew J. Foster; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27980) granting an increase of pension to Richard W. Austin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27981) granting an increase of pension to Henry C. Fellows; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27982) granting an increase of pension to Jacob Zimmermann; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27983) granting an increase of pension to Emanuel Hines; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27984) granting an increase of pension to Charles Peters; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27985) granting an increase of pension to James Foster; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27986) granting an increase of pension to Robert Green; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. FULLER: A bill (H. R. 27987) granting an increase of pension to John McGregor; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27988) granting a pension to Mary R. C. Blanchard; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. GOEBEL: A bill (H. R. 27989) granting an increase of pension to Thomas Henrie; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27990) granting an increase of pension to Andrew Moore; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27991) granting an increase of pension to George W. Waxler; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27992) granting an increase of pension to Phillip Wimmer; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. GRAFF: A bill (H. R. 27993) granting an increase of pension to John D. McClure; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. GRIEST: A bill (H. R. 27994) granting an increase of pension to Samuel M. Kendig; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27995) granting an increase of pension to Daniel Offord; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27996) granting an increase of pension to Joshua Wainwright; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 27997) granting an increase of pension to Samuel Foulitz; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. GRONNA: A bill (H. R. 27998) granting an increase of pension to Charles P. Crary; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. GUERNSEY: A bill (H. R. 27999) granting an increase of pension to George H. Lunt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28000) granting an increase of pension to Snell Cummings; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28001) granting an increase of pension to Edwin P. Mayo; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28002) granting an increase of pension to Franklin Lawry; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28003) granting an increase of pension to George G. Downing; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. HAMILL: A bill (H. R. 28004) for the relief of Stevens Institute of Technology, of Hoboken, N. J.; to the Committee on Claims.

By Mr. HEALD: A bill (H. R. 28005) granting an increase of pension to Archer A. Owens; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28006) granting an increase of pension to James R. Kline; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH: A bill (H. R. 28007) granting an increase of pension to Edwin S. Chisman; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28008) granting an increase of pension to William H. Host; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28009) granting an increase of pension to Ezra Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. HUBBARD of West Virginia: A bill (H. R. 28010) granting an increase of pension to Anne Stimmell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28011) granting an increase of pension to J. N. Conely; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28012) granting a pension to James Davis, alias Robert J. Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28013) granting a pension to James W. Hollandsworth; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. HUGHES of New Jersey: A bill (H. R. 28014) granting an increase of pension to John E. Whitney; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28015) granting an increase of pension to John Valleau; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28016) granting an increase of pension to John Hoffer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28017) granting an increase of pension to E. Clarkson Lane; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28018) granting an increase of pension to John O'Hara; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28019) granting an increase of pension to Peter Matthews; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28020) granting an increase of pension to Henry Mardle; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio: A bill (H. R. 28021) granting an increase of pension to John Miller; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28022) granting an increase of pension to William F. Blackwell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28023) granting an increase of pension to Henry M. Sharp; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28024) granting an increase of pension to David Kronk; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28025) granting an increase of pension to Calvin Anderson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28026) granting an increase of pension to Middleton McGuire; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28027) granting an increase of pension to William G. Bacon; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28028) granting an increase of pension to Frederick Oiler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28029) granting an increase of pension to Benjamin F. Holland; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28030) granting an increase of pension to George W. Copen; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. KAHN: A bill (H. R. 28031) to authorize the President to appoint Col. James W. Pope, assistant quartermaster general, to the grade of brigadier general in the United States Army and place him on the retired list; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. KNAPP: A bill (H. R. 28032) granting an increase of pension to Charles W. Bullard; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28033) granting an increase of pension to Albert G. Snell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28034) granting a pension to Milo D. Heath; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28035) granting a pension to George E. Reed; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28036) granting a pension to Seymour McDonough; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. KOPP: A bill (H. R. 28037) granting an increase of pension to Joseph T. Hanson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28038) granting an increase of pension to Stephen Board; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. KORBLY: A bill (H. R. 28039) granting an increase of pension to Joseph Beckwith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28040) granting an increase of pension to Lewis A. Helms; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28041) granting a pension to Guy H. Craynor; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. LAFEAN: A bill (H. R. 28042) granting an increase of pension to Jacob D. Welsh; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LANGHAM: A bill (H. R. 28043) granting an increase of pension to James D. Hayes; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28044) granting an increase of pension to Daniel W. Schreckengost; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28045) granting an increase of pension to Wilson J. Harbison; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28046) granting an increase of pension to Darius Baldwin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28047) granting an increase of pension to William C. Downey; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28048) granting an increase of pension to Simon H. Drenning; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28049) granting an increase of pension to William Daily; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28050) granting an increase of pension to Davis C. Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28051) granting an increase of pension to William A. Stewart; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28052) granting an increase of pension to Mathias Courath; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28053) granting an increase of pension to Joseph R. Painter; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

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Also, a bill (H. R. 28056) granting an increase of pension to Archie Spratt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28057) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Fisher; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28058) granting an increase of pension to Samuel E. Bish; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28059) granting a pension to Mary M. Taylor; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28060) granting a pension to William Wike; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28061) granting a pension to Nancy Ellen Wike; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28062) granting a pension to William G. McElhaney; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28063) granting a pension to William W. Boden; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LATTA: A bill (H. R. 28064) granting an increase of pension to George W. Pate; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28065) granting an increase of pension to Benton O. Lewis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28066) granting an increase of pension to John H. Austin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28067) granting an increase of pension to Frederick Reahm; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LAW: A bill (H. R. 28068) granting an increase of pension to Robert N. Prestidge; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LENROOT: A bill (H. R. 28069) granting an increase of pension to Samuel Bolden; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28070) granting an increase of pension to George Hansteine; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28071) granting an increase of pension to Asa V. Douglas; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28072) granting an increase of pension to Amanzo L. Goddard; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28073) granting a pension to Jane Martin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28074) granting a pension to Mary E. Stannard; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28075) granting a pension to Joseph Jiles; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. LONGWORTH: A bill (H. R. 28076) granting an increase of pension to Susan Choate; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LOUD: A bill (H. R. 28077) granting a pension to Oliver J. Hickey; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28078) granting a pension to Anna Mellstrup; to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. McDERMOTT: A bill (H. R. 28079) granting an increase of pension to John Gorman; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28080) granting an increase of pension to John Mulligan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28081) granting an increase of pension to Henry Aden; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. McHENRY: A bill (H. R. 28082) granting an increase of pension to Frederick A. Reen; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28083) granting a pension to Sarah Ann Wittenmeyer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28084) granting a pension to Emma Bound; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28085) granting a pension to Jeremiah Love; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. McKINNEY: A bill (H. R. 28086) granting an increase of pension to John Dougan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. MADISON: A bill (H. R. 28087) granting an increase of pension to Francis P. Freeland; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. MALBY: A bill (H. R. 28088) granting an increase of pension to William A. Nichols; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28089) granting an increase of pension to Patrick Shea, alias Henry Bowers; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28090) granting an increase of pension to Seymour Denio; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28091) granting an increase of pension to Charles F. Bridges; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28092) granting an increase of pension to Moses Blow; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28093) granting an increase of pension to George A. Van Waters; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28094) granting an increase of pension to Ashley Shoen; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28095) for the relief of Maxim Lizette; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. MANN: A bill (H. R. 28096) granting an increase of pension to William H. White; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.



Also, a bill (H. R. 28097) granting an increase of pension to James Nash; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. MILLINGTON: A bill (H. R. 28098) granting a pension to Ellen M. Shepard; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. MONDELL: A bill (H. R. 28099) granting an increase of pension to Perry Bingham; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28100) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Cooper; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. MURDOCK: A bill (H. R. 28101) granting an increase of pension to Irwin R. Layton; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28102) granting an increase of pension to John M. Remer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28103) granting an increase of pension to Owen Lewis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28104) granting an increase of pension to Joseph Gravel; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28105) granting an increase of pension to Edmund Brown; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28106) granting an increase of pension to David H. Randall; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28107) granting an increase of pension to Henry Hoff; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28108) granting an increase of pension to Michael M. Stuckey; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28109) granting an increase of pension to Charles C. Currier; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28110) granting an increase of pension to Leopold Fessler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28111) granting an increase of pension to Pearly H. Elwell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. NORRIS: A bill (H. R. 28112) granting an increase of pension to Stephen C. Beck; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. NYE: A bill (H. R. 28113) granting an increase of pension to Stanley H. Husted; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28114) granting an increase of pension to George W. Chilson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28115) granting an increase of pension to William H. Leavitt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28116) granting an increase of pension to Tobias Cederstrom; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28117) granting an increase of pension to Volney P. Roberts; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28118) granting an increase of pension to Silas E. Crandall; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28119) granting an increase of pension to David R. Shockey; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28120) granting an increase of pension to William F. Merriam; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28121) granting an increase of pension to Albert E. Longman; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28122) granting an increase of pension to George B. Whidden; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28123) granting an increase of pension to Cyrus B. Miller; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28124) granting an increase of pension to Benjamin F. Butler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28125) granting an increase of pension to Clement Lovely; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28126) granting an increase of pension to Hugh Longstaff; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28127) granting an increase of pension to Charles H. Norred; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28128) granting an increase of pension to Dana S. Fuller; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28129) granting an increase of pension to William J. Newton; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28130) granting an increase of pension to John Carter; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28131) granting an increase of pension to Theodore Golden; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28132) granting an increase of pension to Presley J. Barrick; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. PRINCE: A bill (H. R. 28133) granting an increase of pension to Orlando L. Higgins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28134) granting an increase of pension to George N. Peabody; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28135) granting a pension to William C. Bollman; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28136) granting a pension to William H. Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28137) granting a pension to Isaac N. Jarnigan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28138) granting a pension to Martin Hogan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. RAUCH: A bill (H. R. 28139) granting an increase of pension to Joseph Collins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28140) granting an increase of pension to John O'Harrow; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28141) granting an increase of pension to William Wilson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28142) granting an increase of pension to Francis M. Jones; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28143) granting an increase of pension to Stephen A. La Boyteaux; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28144) granting an increase of pension to John M. Schaler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28145) granting a pension to Annetta B. Finch; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. RICHARDSON: A bill (H. R. 28146) granting a pension to George W. Lusk; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. RUCKER of Colorado: A bill (H. R. 28147) granting a pension to Jennie T. Breen; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. RUCKER of Missouri: A bill (H. R. 28148) granting an increase of pension to John Billingsley; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28149) granting an increase of pension to Melchert H. Raney; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28150) granting an increase of pension to John E. Campbell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28151) granting an increase of pension to William Fleetwood; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28152) granting an increase of pension to Bennett Williams; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28153) granting an increase of pension to Abraham H. Burkeholder; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28154) granting an increase of pension to Ralph Smith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28155) granting an increase of pension to Daniel C. Bruce; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28156) granting an increase of pension to Howard Gittings; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28157) granting an increase of pension to Nancy Staton; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28158) granting an increase of pension to William J. Bryant; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28159) granting an increase of pension to Isaac West; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28160) granting an increase of pension to John Fort; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28161) granting an increase of pension to John Nay; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. STEENERSON: A bill (H. R. 28162) granting an increase of pension to Phineas Bundy; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28163) granting an increase of pension to John S. Vaughan; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28164) granting an increase of pension to James R. Hoyt; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. STERLING: A bill (H. R. 28165) granting an increase of pension to Thomas B. Smedley; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28166) granting an increase of pension to Aaron Will; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28167) granting an increase of pension to William T. Gibbs; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28168) granting a pension to William L. Archer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28169) to remove the charge of desertion against Ephraim H. Gallion; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. SULLOWAY: A bill (H. R. 28170) granting an increase of pension to George W. Bell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28171) granting an increase of pension to Andrew G. Bracy; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28172) granting an increase of pension to James Cowell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28173) granting an increase of pension to Ira B. Dennett; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28174) granting an increase of pension to John C. Davis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28175) granting an increase of pension to Charles H. Giles; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28176) granting an increase of pension to William L. Holley; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28177) granting an increase of pension to George W. Murch; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28178) granting an increase of pension to Charles M. Robinson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28179) granting an increase of pension to Melvin J. Jenkins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28180) granting an increase of pension to James Stanyon; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28181) granting an increase of pension to Benjamin R. Wheeler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28182) granting an increase of pension to Oren W. Bartlett; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. SULZER: A bill (H. R. 28183) granting an increase of pension to George E. Fordham; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. STURGISS: A bill (H. R. 28184) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth R. Nelson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28185) granting an increase of pension to Benjamin F. Shuttlesworth; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28186) granting an increase of pension to John W. Turner; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. WANGER: A bill (H. R. 28187) for the relief of Charles A. Thomas; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. WEEKS: A bill (H. R. 28188) for the relief of Edmund M. Phelan; to the Committee on Claims.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28189) granting an increase of pension to Ellen B. Ranlett; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. WEISSE: A bill (H. R. 28190) granting an increase of pension to Ira C. McDonald; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28191) granting an increase of pension to Charles Schafer; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28192) granting an increase of pension to John A. Koehler; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28193) granting an increase of pension to Jacob Kober; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28194) granting an increase of pension to Conrad Jakobi; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28195) granting an increase of pension to Charles Gunther; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28196) granting an increase of pension to John Augustin; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28197) granting an increase of pension to John Ross; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28198) granting an increase of pension to H. M. Older; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28199) granting an increase of pension to Peter Baker; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28200) granting an increase of pension to Ernest Heldenreiter; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28201) granting an increase of pension to George A. Whalen; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28202) granting an increase of pension to Conrad Dippel; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. WHEELER: A bill (H. R. 28203) granting an increase of pension to Merrick Davidson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28204) granting an increase of pension to Walter R. Small; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. WILEY: A bill (H. R. 28205) granting an increase of pension to George M. Andrus; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28206) granting an increase of pension to Charles W. Dowers; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28207) granting an increase of pension to August Schroeder; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28208) granting an increase of pension to Harry N. Brezee; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, a bill (H. R. 28209) for the relief of John R. Riley; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. GARDNER of Massachusetts: A bill (H. R. 28210) granting an increase of pension to George B. Lewis; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. GRONNA: A bill (H. R. 28211) granting a pension to Amelia James; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH: A bill (H. R. 28212) granting an increase of pension to Thomas Chamberlain; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

## PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

By Mr. ANDERSON: Petition of General Assembly, Knights of Labor, for immediate revision of the tariff; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Also, petition of Massachusetts Civil Service Association, favoring the recent extension of the civil-service law by President Taft; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, paper to accompany bill for relief of Helen Langley, Erasmus D. Turner, and John P. Lonsway; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. ANSBERRY: Petition of Stokes Post, No. 54, Findlay, Ohio, and Bradley Post, No. 732, Stryker, Ohio, Grand Army of the Republic, for an amendment to the age pension act; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, petition of American Institute of Homeopathy, Pasadena, Cal., against the Owen, Mann, Creager, and other bills for a national bureau of health; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. ASHBROOK: Petition of Shreve Post, No. 209, Grand Army of the Republic, for amendment of the age pension act; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. ASHBROOK: Paper to accompany bill for relief of David W. Wood; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. BURKE of South Dakota: Petition of T. S. Overpeck relative to reclamation act; to the Committee on Irrigation of Arid Lands.

By Mr. BUTLER: Petition of Birmingham Monthly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends, West Chester, Pa., for the Miller-Curtis interstate liquor bill; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Also, petition of Highland Grange, No. 980, Parkersburg; Concord Grange, No. 1141, Markham, Delaware County; Firemen's Auditorium Grange, No. 19, Kennett Square; and Doe Run Grange, No. 1269, Chatham, Patrons of Husbandry, all in the State of Pennsylvania, for amendment of the law on oleo; to the Committee on Agriculture.

Also, petition of business men of Chester County, Pa., for S. 3776, regulating express companies and other common carriers by the Interstate Commerce Commission; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Also, petition of Russellville Grange, No. 91, and Marshallton Grange, No. 1394, Patrons of Husbandry, for Penrose bill, S. 5842, on oleo; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CALDER: Paper to accompany bill for relief of estate of Louis Lyman Langdon; to the Committee on War Claims.

Also, petition of Order of the Knights of Labor, for immediate revision of the tariff; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CARY: Petition of Massachusetts Civil Service Association, favoring recent order of President Taft placing assistant postmasters and postal clerks under the civil service; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

By Mr. COOK: Petition of American Institute of Homeopathy, Pasadena, Cal., against the Owen, Mann, Creager, and other bills for a national health bureau; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Also, petition of select and common councils of Philadelphia and the Explorers' Club, favoring New Orleans as site of Panama Exposition; to the Committee on Industrial Arts and Expositions.

By Mr. COOPER of Pennsylvania: Petition of citizens of Connellsville, Uniontown, and Brownsville, Pa., against a parcels-post law; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, petition of Woman's Club of Sheridan, Pa., regarding dairy products being affected by tubercular bacilli; to the Committee on Agriculture.

Also, petition of Joseph Walker and others, of Berlin, Pa., against all bills discriminating either against or in favor of officers or enlisted men of the Civil War service; to the Committee on Military Affairs.

By Mr. DALZELL: Papers to accompany bills for relief of John Irwin, Walter Lowmy, Simon P. P. Young, and William J. Carson; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. DRAPER: Petition of Massachusetts Civil Service Association, favoring extension of civil service to assistant postmasters and postal clerks; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, petition of Monroe County Civil War Veterans' Association, Rochester, N. Y., favoring equitable pension legislation; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, petition of American Institute of Homeopathy, for health legislation, but not medical legislation, in line of bills for



a national department of health; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

Also, petition of Explorers' Club, New York City, and Philadelphia Section, Council of Jewish Women, favoring investigation of causes of tuberculosis, typhoid fever, and other diseases originating in dairy products; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. ESCH: Paper to accompany bill for relief of Rachel Hawkins; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, petition of Massachusetts Civil Service Association, approving extension of civil service to cover assistant postmasters and postal clerks; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, petition of American Institute of Homeopathy, against Owen, Mann, Creager, and other bills for a national health bureau; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. FOCHT: Paper to accompany bill for relief of William Gilbert, Emanuel Peter, Augustus Hawn, Henry E. Gutelius, George F. Fiss, Oliver Fields, and David Criswell; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. FULLER: Petition of Coyner Bros., of Rockford., Ill., against parcels-post legislation; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, petition of Yorkville (Ill.) Business Men's Club, favoring San Francisco as site of Panama Exposition; to the Committee on Industrial Arts and Expositions.

Also, paper to accompany bill for relief of Mary R. C. Blanchard; to the Committee on Pensions.

Also, paper to accompany bill for relief of John McGregor; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. GARNER of Texas: Petition of citizens of Texas against parcels-post legislation; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

By Mr. GRAHAM of Pennsylvania: Petition of Massachusetts Civil Service Association, favoring extension of civil service to assistant postmasters and post-office clerks; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, petition of Bunting & Shrigley, Philadelphia, Pa., favoring a children's bureau; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Also, petition of Railway & Car Material Co., against the Tou Velle stamped envelope bill; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

By Mr. HAMILTON: Petition of Casco Pomological Society, Chicara Grange, No. 901, of Allegan, Mich., and Scottsdale Fruit Association, favoring New Orleans as place for holding Panama Exposition; to the Committee on Industrial Arts and Expositions.

Also, petition of Van Buren County Federation of Women's Clubs, favoring investigation of causes of diseases arising from dairy products; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH: Papers to accompany bills for relief of Edwin S. Chisman, Ezra Smith, and William H. Host; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. HUFF: Petition of Religious Society of Friends, for a children's bureau in the Department of the Interior; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Also, petition of Jefferson Grange, No. 1373, and Eureka Grange, No. 244, for legislation governing traffic in oleo; to the Committee on Agriculture.

Also, petition of American Institute of Homeopathy, of Pasadena, Cal., against Owen, Mann, Creager, and other bills relating to the formation of a national bureau of health; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. HUGHES of New Jersey: Petition of Trenton Civic Club, of Trenton, N. J., for investigation of causes of tuberculosis and typhoid among dairy cattle; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. KNAPP: Papers to accompany bills for relief of Albert G. Snell, Charles W. Bullard, Milo D. Heath, George E. Reed, and Seymour McDonough; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, petition of citizens of the twenty-eighth congressional district of New York, against House bill 3075, relative to printing of special-request envelopes by the Government; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

By Mr. KORBLY: Paper to accompany bill for relief of Lewis A. Helms; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

Also, paper to accompany bill for relief of Joseph Beckwith; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LAFEAN: Paper to accompany bill for relief of Jacob D. Welch; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. LOUD: Paper to accompany bill for relief of Oliver J. Hickey; to the Committee on Invalid Pensions.

By Mr. McMORRAN: Petition of the General Assembly of the Order of Knights of Labor (Inc.), for an immediate revision of the tariff; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Also, paper to accompany bill for relief of estate of George Lucas Hartsuff; to the Committee on War Claims.

By Mr. MILLINGTON: Petition of Young Men's Christian Association, Utica, N. Y., for the Burkett-Sims bill against interstate transmission of race-gambling odds and bets; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MOORE of Pennsylvania: Petition of W. Ellsworth Brown and other citizens of Philadelphia, against parcels-post law; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, paper to accompany bill for relief of estate of Thomas Murray-Tolman; to the Committee on Claims.

Also, petition of Woman's Club of Sheridan, Pa., for legislation to eradicate tuberculosis in cattle; to the Committee on Agriculture.

Also, petition of McIntire, Magee & Brown Co., J. W. Ivory, Triangle Hosiery Mills Co., J. W. Sparks & Co., Max Clair, John J. Rahilly, Walter M. Stippacher & Bro., A. Steinfeld, The Southwark Mills Co., Thomas Serlin Manufacturing Co., William M. Wilson's Sons, H. K. Mulford Co., J. R. Kein & Co., S. Taplinger & Son, the Junaform Co., the Brown Instrument Co., Frank C. Heid & Co., Thomas Roberts & Co., L. D. Caulk Dental Depot (Inc.), Leas & McVitty, Janney & Burrough, J. H. Schenck & Co., Oscar Smith & Sons Co., S. C. Millbonne, James Downs, Elder & Jinks, Haines, Jones & Cadbury Co., S. H. Robison, Alfred S. Eisenhower, William Hodges & Co., Philadelphia Office of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co., the Hess Bright Manufacturing Co., Strawbridge & Clothier, C. S. Gibbon Co., G. A. Bisler (Inc.), A. B. Kirschbaum & Co., H. C. Fox & Sons (Inc.), B. Binswanger Co., and Swire, Herring & Cairns, favoring San Francisco for Panama Exposition; to the Committee on Industrial Arts and Expositions.

By Mr. PEARRE: Petition of Schwarzenback and 20 other firms of Cumberland, Md., and citizens of Middletown, Boonsboro, Mountain Lake Park, Clear Spring, and Hancock, Md., against parcels-post law; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

By Mr. ROBERTS: Petition of Order of Knights of Labor, for an immediate revision of the tariff; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RUCKER of Colorado: Petition of W. J. Workman and nine others, employees of the post office at Loveland, Colo., protesting against the passage of the Gillett bill and praying for the passage of House bill 22776, relating to civil-service retirement; to the Committee on Reform in the Civil Service.

By Mr. SIMMONS: Petition of Young Men's Christian Association of Batavia, N. Y., for the Burkett-Sims bill; to the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

By Mr. SPERRY: Resolutions adopted by the Chamber of Commerce of New Haven, Conn., favoring increased salaries to judges of the federal courts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Also, resolutions of the Board of Education of Naugatuck, Conn., favoring an appropriation for the conduct of field work by the United States Bureau of Education; to the Committee on Appropriations.

Also, resolutions of the Chamber of Commerce of New Haven, Conn., favoring the retirement of civil employees of the Federal Government; to the Committee on Reform in the Civil Service.

By Mr. WANGER: Petition of General Assembly of the Knights of Labor, for immediate revision of the tariff; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WEISSE: Petition of masters, shipowners, and others, for Senate bill 5677, to promote efficiency of the Life-Saving Service; to the Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

Also, petition of P. Stephens and others, favoring San Francisco as site of Panama Exposition; to the Committee on Industrial Arts and Expositions.

Also, petition of business men of Randolph, Beaver Dam, and Dodge, Wis., against parcels-post legislation; to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

Also, petition of Central Labor Union of Washington, D. C., for remedial legislation relative to the working classes; to the Committee on Labor.

By Mr. WOOD of New Jersey: Petition of Sylvanus Apgar, of Milford, N. J., against removal of present tax on oleomargarine; to the Committee on Agriculture.

Also, petition of New Jersey Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, for an appropriation for a crypt in the memorial chapel at Annapolis, Md., for the body of Paul Jones; to the Committee on Appropriations.